

## FORMALITIES LETTER



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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/478,156	01/05/2000	Edward L Bayiates	M0995/7002/PJG/AR

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$2394.
  - \$522 for 29 total claims over 20.
  - \$1872 for 24 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 3214.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO: M0995/7002/PJG/AR

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Edward L. Bayiates  
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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)**

The undersigned hereby certifies that this document is being placed in the United States mail with first-class postage attached, addressed to BOX MISSING PARTS, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on May 1, 2000.

  
Peter J. Gordon

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is the response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted mailed March 1, 2000.

	Number of Claims Filed		Claims Included in Basic Fee		Extra				Additional Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	49	-	20	=	29	x	\$9	=	\$ 261.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	27	-	3	=	24	x	\$39	=	\$ 936.00
BASIC FILING FEE FOR UTILITY APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.16(a)=									\$ 345.00
SURCHARGE AS SET FORTH IN 37 CFR 1.16(e)									\$ 65.00
<b>TOTAL FEE FOR FILING THIS RESPONSE</b>									<b>\$ 1607.00</b>

Transmitted herewith are the following documents:

- [ √ ] Notice to File Missing Parts
- [ √ ] Declaration for Patent Application (signed)
- [ √ ] Declaration Claiming Small Entity Status (signed)
- [ √ ] Return Receipt Postcard

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 720-3500, Boston, Massachusetts.

A check in the amount of \$1,607.00 is enclosed to cover the filing fee. If the fee is insufficient, the balance may be charged to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

Respectfully submitted,



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